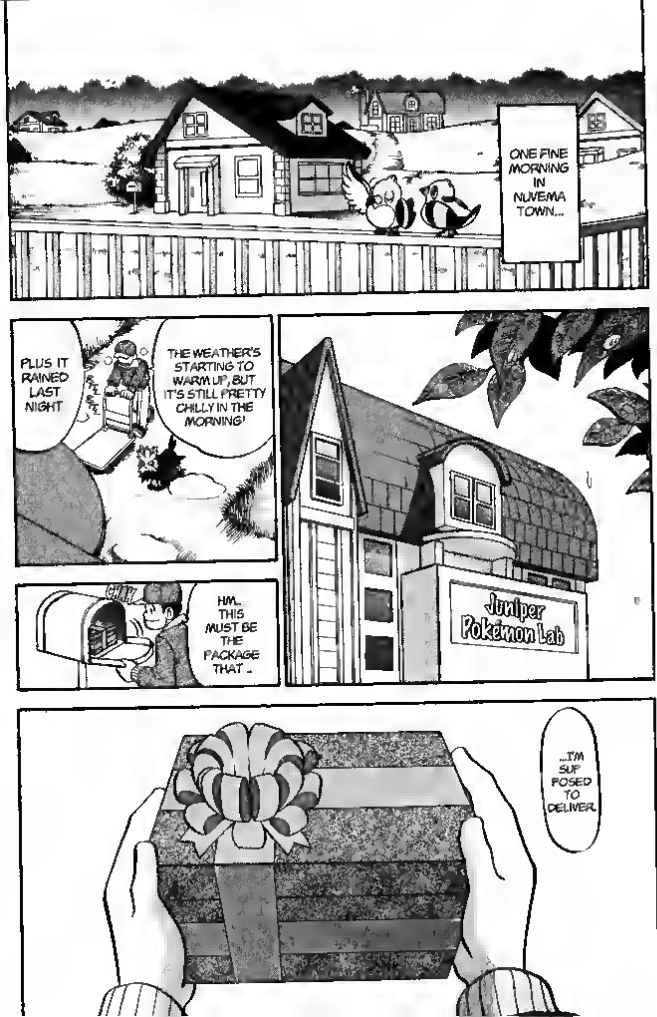
Adventure 2 Choices


ONE FINE MORNING IN NUVEMA TOWN...
THE WEATHER'S STARTING TO WARM UP, BUT IT'S STILL PRETTY CHILLY IN THE MORNING!
PLUS IT RAINED LAST NIGHT
Juniper Pokémon Lab
HM... THIS MUST BE THE PACKAGE THAT...
...I'M SUPPOSED TO DELIVER.

WHOA!!
WHAP
YIKES!!
I'A-A-ACK'AGE
HEY, THAT'S RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER!
THE SHIPPING ADDRESS IS...
OUCH!
YOU'RE MEAN!
I'M BLACK!
THAT'S ME!
I'VE GOT AN IMPORTANT PACKAGE TO DELIVER FOR PROF. JUNIPER TO SOME BOY NAMED "BLACK"...
NOT FUNNY!
JUST A BOY?

YES, IT IS. BUT... WHY DO YOU ASK, BLACK?
'SCUSE ME MA'AM! THIS IS MY HOME, ISN'T IT?
THE ADDRESS LOOKS RIGHT
THIS IS MY HOUSE!
I'LL PROVE IT! C'MON!!
WHAT THE--?!
tip tip
SURE THING!!
OKAY, OKAY! HERE YOU GO
SIGN HERE, PLEASE.
HEAR THAT?! LET'S GO BACK!!
tip tip
YEP! I COULDN'T WAIT!!
YOU'RE DRENCHED... DON'T TELL ME YOU WERE WAITING OUT HERE ALL NIGHT?
In the downpour...
TH-THIS KID IS SCARY LET'S SCRAM!!
I'VE BEEN DREAMING OF THIS DAY FOR NINE YEARS!!
YAHOO!!
HURRAY!!
I didn't need to deliver it in the first place...
PAF!!

LET'S OPEN IT!
ALL RIGHT!

BRAV...
BRAVARY ♂
VALIANT POKÉMON
HONNAME BRAV

MUSHA
MUNNA ♂
DREAMEATER POKÉMON
HONNAME MUSHA

...IS OUR NEW FRIEND!
INSIDE THIS BOX.

...AND HELP US WIN THE POKÉMON LEAGUE CHAMPION-SHIP!
A FRIEND WHO WILL FIGHT BY OUR SIDE...

Snivy
Oshawott

AND I GET TO CHOOSE WHICHEVER ONE I LIKE!!
WHOA! THEY ALL LOOK GOOD..!!

AH-CHOO!!

HUH ...?
THIS POKÉDEX IS MINE TOO!! BRRR!! I'M SO HAPPY I'M GETTING CHILLS!
sniff sniff
shiver shiver

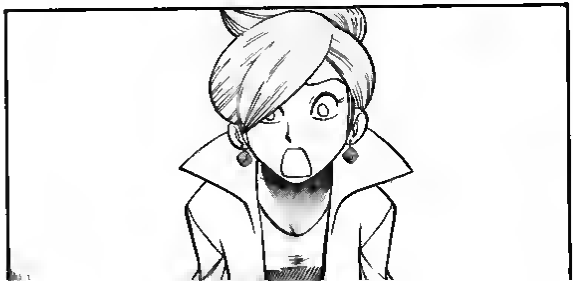
AH.. AH...
THESE CHILLS.. I REALLY DO FEEL COLD.. AH..

BOM
BOM
BOM
HmPh!
Splish
WHY SO UNFRIENDLY ?
Whap!
Wipe
Wipe!

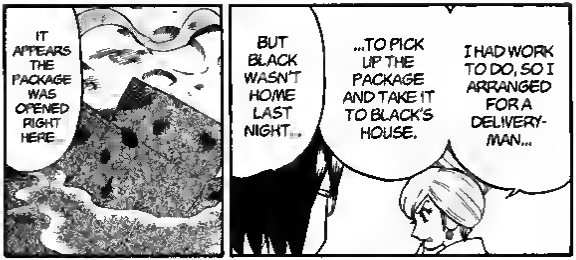
SLAP WHAP BOP
THEY'RE SCRAPPING!!
WHOA!!
WELL, POKÉMON ARE BORN FIGHTERS, AFTER ALL!!
IT'S NATURAL FOR THEM TO TUSSLE WHEN THEY'RE ALL REWED UP!!
YEAH, THAT'S ALL IT IS!! GO FOR IT!!

WHACK
THUNK
TA-TUMP

COME BACK HERE, YOU!!!
HEY !!
OH!!



WHAT'S GOING ON?! CHEREN! BIANCA!!
W-WHAT IN THE WORLD HAPPENED HERE?!
...PROF. JUNIPER!
I SHOULD BE ASKING THE QUESTIONS..
WE WAITED AND WAITED, BUT NO POKÉMON CAME!
YOU PROMISED TO DELIVER THESE POKÉMON TO US TODAY!


I HAD WORK TO DO, SO I ARRANGED FOR A DELIVERY-MAN...
...TO PICK UP THE PACKAGE AND TAKE IT TO BLACK'S HOUSE.
BUT BLACK WASN'T HOME LAST NIGHT...
IT APPEARS THE PACKAGE WAS OPENED RIGHT HERE...

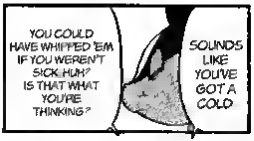
THESE TWO VALUABLE POKÉDEXES ARE SOAKING WET!
AND SNIVY AND OSHAWOTT ARE ALL MUDDY AND BEAT UP.

WHERE IS BLACK ANYWAY?!
AND WHERE IS TEPIG AND THE THIRD POKEDEX ?!!
I'VE GOT SOME QUES-TIONS TOO...
HEY! CHEREN!!
?

HERE'S YOUR SNIVY.
I'LL TAKE THE OSHA WOTT!!
BIANCA! HOW COME YOU GET TO CHOOSE MY POKÉMON FOR ME?!
WELL... THAT SNIVY KINDA LOOKS LIKE YOU, CHEREN
HMPH. YOU'RE SUCH A DITZ!
I BET THE TEPIG IS WITH BLACK.
PROF JUNIPER TOLD US TO CHOOSE ONE OF THE THREE..
You think we're twins?
Nngh! I hate it when things don't go according to plan!
LET'S GO FIND BLACK AND TEPIG

MINCCINO! CLEAN UP THIS MESS FOR ME!!
BOOM
SWIP
SWIP
SWIP
SWIP
EH?
TEPIG'S HEADING IN THIS DIRECTION! FOLLOW THE TRACKS!
...TEPIG TRACKS!
HOLD ON! THOSE ARE...
COME ON! COME DOWN HERE!
Tepi-gi-gi!!

BOTH OF YOU! SHH!
SHUSH
IT IS DANGER OUS!
OOH THAT LOOKS DANGER OUS


YOU COULD HAVE WHIPPED 'EM IF YOU WEREN'T SICK, HUH? IS THAT WHAT YOU'RE THINKING?
SOUNDS LIKE YOU'VE GOT A COLD

HAHAHA... I'VE GOT A COLD TOO JUST LIKE YOU!
AH-CHOO!!

YOU'RE SULKING, AREN'T YOU?
YOU THINK THE OTHER TWO GANGED UP ON YOU...
YOU GOT FRUS-TRATED, SO YOU RAN AWAY...
SNIFF

I'M GONNA CHOOSE YOU!
CAUSE I..
..LIKE YOU.

MY NAME IS BLACK.
NICE TO MEET-CHA

SHU
SHUUU
Tuup
SHU

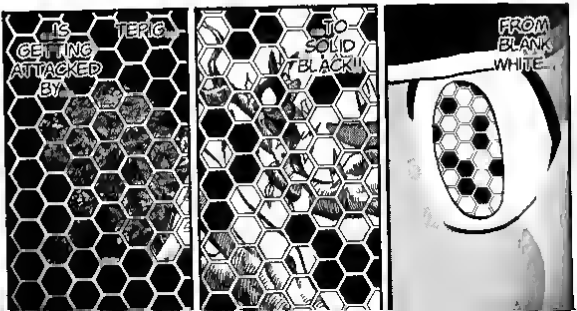
SHP
SHP
SHP
SHP
SHP
SHP
SHP
SHP
SOME-THING'S ATTACK-ING US!!
OOH, THIS LOOKS BAD!
IT IS BAD!
THE SHOTS ARE COMING SO FAST THEY CAN'T TELL WHERE THEY'RE COMING FROM!!
WHAT?!
GOOD
I WAS GOING TO GIVE EACH OF YOU A POKÉDEX AND ONE OF THE THREE POKÉMON...
...AND SEND YOU OFF ON A JOURNEY TO FILL YOUR POKÉDEXES WITH DATA.
UH-HUH!

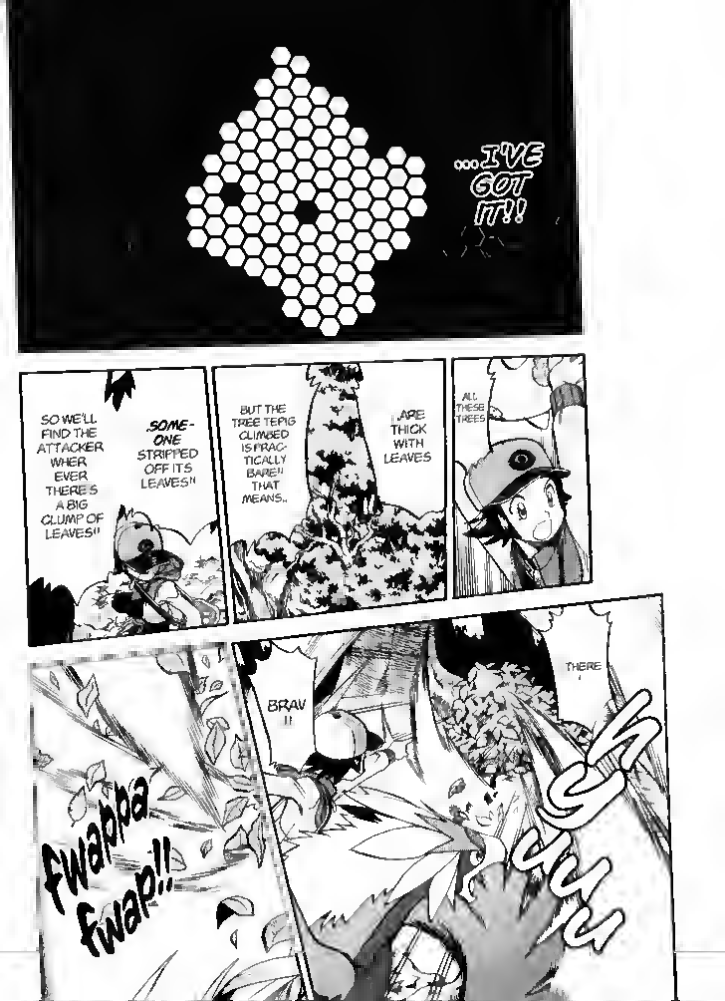
I DON'T KNOW BLACK VERY WELL...
...BUT YOU RECOM-MENDED HIM SO STRONGLY THAT I CHOSE HIM TO BE THE THIRD MEMBER OF YOUR TRIO.
TO BE HONEST... I WAS GOING TO ASK HIM TO STEP DOWN BECAUSE HE MADE SUCH A MESS OF THINGS
BUT
...IF HE CAN HANDLE THIS SITUATION WITHOUT ANY HELP..
...I'LL FOR-GIVE AND FOR-GET!
PRE-PARE
...TO BE IM-PRESSED!
?
WHAT POKÉMON IS ATTACK-ING US?!
AND WHERE IS IT HIDING?!
WHAT KIND OF ATTACK IS THAT?!
THINK!
THINK!
MU-SHA !!
LOOK !
?!

A-I-EEE...!!!
PUNK
ALLOW ME TO EXPLAIN-- BLACK'S HEAD IS FULL TO THE BRIM WITH HIS DREAM OF WINNING THE POKÉMON LEAGUE..
You had that prepared!
Here's a visual aid
HE LIVES AND BREATHES HIS DREAM, YOU SEE. THERE ISN'T ANY SPACE LEFT FOR THINKING ABOUT OTHER STUFF!
SO WHENEVER HE NEEDS TO THINK SOMETHING THROUGH, HE HAS MUSHA EAT HIS DREAM.
MUNN
...TO EMPTY HIS HEAD.
MUSHA HELPS HIM WIPE HIS MIND BLANK--
TO-TALLY BLANK

BLANK.

THEN HIS BLANK MIND TURNS... BLACK.
..HE CAN TAKE IN WHATEVER'S IN FRONT OF HIM.
AND ONCE HIS MIND IS BLANK...


IS GETTING ATTACKED BY...
TERIC...
TO SOLID BLACK!!
FROM BLANK WHITE...


...I'VE GOT IT!!
SO WE'LL FIND THE ATTACKER WHER EVER THERE'S A BIG CLUMP OF LEAVES!!
SOME-ONE STRIPPED OFF ITS LEAVES!!
BUT THE TREE TEPIG CLIMBED IS PRAC-TICALLY BARE!! THAT MEANS..
ARE THICK WITH LEAVES
ALL THESE TREES
THERE
BRAV !!
fwappa fwap!!

WAPPA
SEWADDLE
649 Sewaddle
Sewing Pokémon
HT 1'00"
WT 5.5 lbs.
IT'S A SEWING POKÉMON THAT MAKES CLOTHES OUT OF LEAVES!
THE SEWING POKÉMON SEWADDLE."
...HOW IT WORKS."
KK
THE POKÉDEX IS REACTING TO IT! IS THIS...
KOKA
LOOK OUT!
SEWADDLE WAS COLLECTING LEAVES IN THAT TREE!
IT MUST BE MAD BECAUSE IT THINKS TEPIG IS INVADING ITS TERRITORY!
slish slish slish slish

FOO
SH
TA-TUMP
TA
TA
TA
TMP
WHUMP
WOW!!
WHAT QUICK REFLEXES! AND SO AGILE! AMAZING!!
TA-TU-MP

SO? HOW ABOUT IT?
WILL YOU ACCEPT ME AS YOUR TRAINER?
HERE GOES
AWESOME! OKAY, NOW THAT YOU'RE ONE OF US... YOU GET TO JOIN IN WITH SOMETHING I DO EVERY DAY
YAAAAA...
...HOOO!

I'M GOING TO THE POKÉMON LEAGUE CHAMPION-SHIP AND I'M GONNA WIN!!!
I'M REALLY, REALLY, REALLY GONNA WIN IT!!!
WATCH OUT, REIGN ING CHAMP!!
YOU TOO, ELITE FOUR !!
READY OR NOT, HERE I COME !!!
LET'S GO!! BRAV!!
MU-SHA !!
HE'S GONE..
GONE..
HE'S GONE ALL RIGHT...
Without even so much as a "by your leave"
FWAP
FWAP
FWAP
FWAP

DID ALL THE COMMOTION THIS MORNING MAKE THE POKÉDEXES MALFUNCTION?
WHAT...?!
ME NEITHER.
HUH? I CAN'T TURN MY POKÉ DEX ON
I'M COUNTING ON YOU TWO AS WELL!
WELL, THAT WAS RATHER CHAOTIC, BUT... IT APPEARS AS THOUGH MY PLAN IS STILL ON TRACK.
YES!
YES
OH NO!
DOES THIS MEAN... ...THE ONLY WORKING POKÉDEX... IS BLACK'S?!